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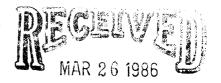


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DIVISION OF OIL. GAS & MINING

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Re: DOGM response to Ten-Day Notice #86-2-116-2,

Genwal Coal Company, Crandall Canyon Mine

ACT/015/032 #7

Dear Dr. Nielson:

This letter is intended as a follow-up to our response dated February 21, 1986, concerning the Ten-Day Notice (TDN) noted above, and supersedes that response.

A TDN follow-up inspection was conducted on February 27, 1986. The inspection was jointly conducted by Henry Austin, Dave Lof and Phil Ralphs of our respective inspection Upon further field evaluation, our staffs agreed staffs. there were currently no violation(s) occuring at the uppermost topsoil stockpile. It was also agreed the stockpile needed additional protection to prevent topsoil loss, including vegetation establishment and maintenance of straw bale berm. The OSMRE Albuquerque Field Office considers the DOGM response to this part of the TDN to be appropriate.

As a result of the February 27, 1986 follow-up inspection, Mr. Lof issued Notice-of-Violation N86-4-1-4, which consists of the following violations:

- 1) failure to minimize erosion,
- failure to maintain Class I and Class II haulroads,
- failure to mine according to approved permit (fuel storage area), and
- 4) failure to pass all disturbed area runoff through a sediment pond.

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This enforcement action appropriately addresses the remaining concerns of TDN 86-2-116-2.

The OSMRE Albuquerque Field Office considers the above DOGM response to TDN 86-2-116-2 (three parts) to be appropriate.

Sincerely,

Robert H. Hagen, Director Albuquerque Field Office